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Louisiana Department of Insurance Louisiana Health Care Commission *Legislation in 2016*

DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE LEGISLATION



2016 Louisiana Legislative Session

Department of Insurance



HB 312 – Pending Senate final passage:

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Reconstitutes the Louisiana Mandated Health Benefits Commission and repeals certain provisions relative to mandated health insurance benefits



REP. DAVIS
(R-Baton Rouge)

HB 412 – Pending House Insurance (considered 4/27/16):

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides relative to reimbursement of noncontracted healthcare providers of emergency medical services



REP. THIBAUT
(D-New Roads)

Department of Insurance



REP. C. BROWN
(D-Plaquemine)

HB 519 – Passed the Senate:

INSURANCE: Provides relative to the maintenance of electronic records by domestic insurers and to the maintenance of their records outside the state



REP. SEABAUGH
(R-Shreveport)

HB 836 – Pending House Insurance (considered 3/30/16):

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides for the review and approval of health insurance rates in the individual and small group markets

Department of Insurance



SB 193 – Pending Senate Insurance:

HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides relative to the adequacy of networks utilized by health insurance issuers for the provision of health care services. (8/1/16)



SEN. LONG
(R-Winnfield)

SB 199 – Pending House Insurance:

INSURERS: Provides for prior approval by the commissioner of insurance for the merger of a domestic insurer or health maintenance organization. (8/1/16)



SEN. GATTI
(R-Bossier City)

Department of Insurance



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(R-Bossier City)

SB 200 – Pending Senate Insurance (considered 3/30/16):

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER: Provides relative to the authority of the commissioner to address violations of rules and regulations. (8/1/16)



SEN. BISHOP
(D-New Orleans)

SB 217 – Pending House Insurance:

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER: Provides for the confidentiality of records disclosed to or by the commissioner of insurance during the course of an insurance receivership. (8/1/16)

Department of Insurance



SB 316 – Pending Senate Insurance (considered 4/13/16):

HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides relative to balance billing by and reimbursement of noncontracted facility-based physicians for covered health care services rendered in an in-network health care facility. (8/1/16)



SEN. DONAHUE
(R-Mandeville)

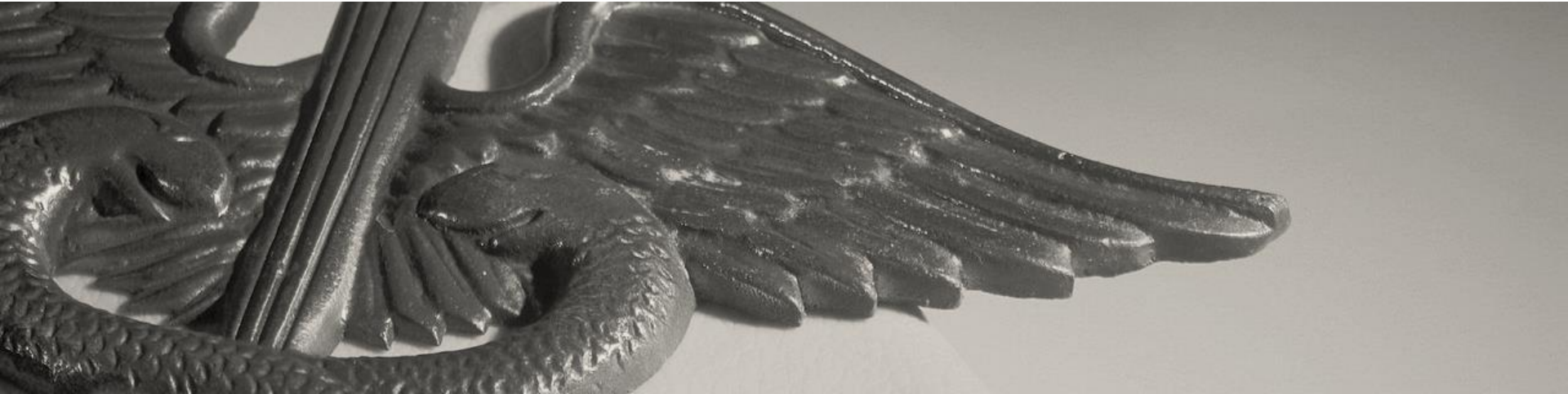
SB 343 – Pending House Insurance:

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT: Provides relative to the issuance of private letter rulings by the commissioner of insurance. (8/1/16)



SEN. GATTI
(R-Bossier City)

INSURERS/AGENTS LEGISLATION



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Insurers/Agents



HB 352 – Pending House Insurance (considered 4/27/16):

INSURANCE: Provides for the retention of certain insurance records by producers and adjusters



REP. HUVAL
(R-Breaux Bridge)

HB 476 – Pending Senate introduction:

INSURANCE: Specifies that insurance producers may not be required to provide certain information regarding insurance coverage



REP. HUVAL
(R-Breaux Bridge)

Insurers/Agents



REP. HUVAL
(R-Breaux Bridge)

HB 596 – Pending Senate floor action:

INSURERS/AGENTS: Provides for notification and effectiveness of a material change in a contract between a health insurance issuer and a producer



REP. THIBAUT
(D-New Roads)

HB 663 – Pending House concurrence:

INSURERS/AGENTS: Requires notice to a non-captive insurance producer prior to an insurance company terminating the producer's appointment

Insurers/Agents



**HB 746 – Pending House final passage
(under consideration):**

INSURANCE: Provides for licensing and regulation of insurance consultants by the commissioner of insurance



REP. THIBAUT
(D-New Roads)

**HB 865 – Pending House final passage
(scheduled for 4/27/16):**

INSURERS/AGENTS: Provides relative to licensing of insurance producers



REP. HUVAL
(R-Breaux Bridge)

PHARMACY/PBM LEGISLATION



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Pharmacy/PBM



HB 845 – Pending House Insurance (considered 4/13/16):

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides relative to pharmacy benefit managers



REP. LEBAS
(D-Ville Platte)

HB 849 – Pending House floor action:

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides a time frame for appeals of adverse determinations made regarding the medical necessity of prescription drugs and intravenous infusions



REP. R. JOHNSON
(D-Marksville)

TELEMEDICINE LEGISLATION



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Telemedicine



HB 570 – Pending Senate Health & Welfare:

HEALTH SERVICES: Provides relative to the practice of telemedicine



REP. SCHRODER
(R-Covington)

SB 328 – Pending House Health & Welfare:

HEALTH CARE: Provides for telehealth access. (8/1/16)



SEN. CLAITOR
(R-Baton Rouge)

CONTRACTS LEGISLATION



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Contracts



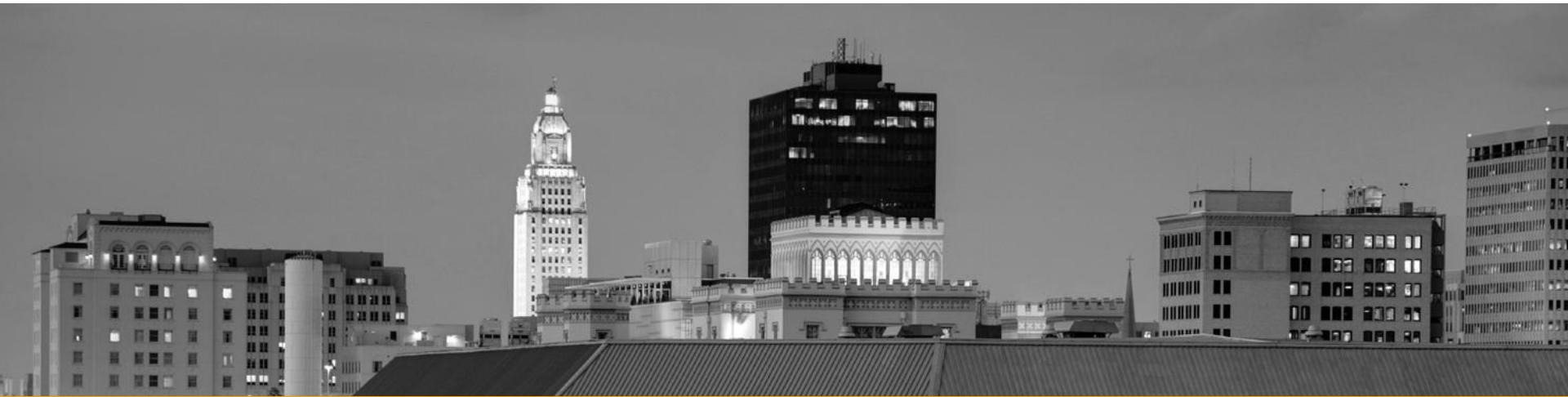
HB 705 – Substitute adopted on the House floor (became HB 1140):

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Prohibits certain contractual provisions in provider contracts with health insurance issuers



REP. BROADWATER
(R-Hammond)

LAHP LEGISLATION



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HB 613 – Pending Senate floor action:

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides relative to genetic information obtained by health insurers



REP. THIBAUT
(D-New Roads)

HB 754 – Pending House Insurance:

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides for the time of modification of drug coverage by health insurance issuers



REP. TALBOT
(R-River Ridge)



REP. LEGER
(D-New Orleans)

HB 816 – Pending House Health & Welfare (scheduled for 4/27/16):

MEDICAID: Provides for implementation of a Medicaid managed long term services and supports system (OR GF EX See Note)



REP. TALBOT
(R-River Ridge)

HB 816 – Pending Senate floor action:

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provide relative to certificates of creditable coverage

HB 961 – Pending House Health & Welfare:

DRUGS/PRESCRIPTION: Requires educational or marketing materials for prescription drugs directed to healthcare providers to include price information



REP. CROMER
(R-Slidell)



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QUESTIONS?



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